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FM AMEMBASSY LAGOS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9576

INFO AMCONSUL KADUNA

AMCONSUL IBADAN

C O N F I D E N T I A L LAGOS 4009

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP

SUBJ: CHALLENGER

REF: STATE 94536

1. EMBASSY DEVELOPING SCHEDULE ALONG FOLLOWING LINES SUBJECT
TO CONCURRENCE OF DEPT, MEA AND CONSULATES:

SUNDAY, JUNE 10 - ARRIVE LAGOS. EVENING RECEPTION AT CHARGE
RESIDENCE FOR FMG OFFICIALS AND APPROPRIATE
UNIVERSITY FACULTY. OVERNITE: AMBASSADOR'S
RESIDENCE.

MON. JUNE 11 - 0900-1100 LECTURE PROGRAM AT FEDERAL SCHOOL
OF SCIENCE, LAGOS.
LUNCH
1500 FLY VIA CHARTER

DC-3 TO IBADAN (35 MINUTES).
1830 RECEPTION AT BPAO RESIDENCE. OVERNITE IN
IBADAN.

TUES. JUNE 12 - 0900 PROGRAM UN. OF IBADAN
1100 FLY TO ZARIA (2 HRS, 30 MIN. BOX LUNCH
ON BOARD)

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1600 LECTURE PROGRAM, POLYTECHNICAL SCHOOL,
KADUNA. EVENING: RECEPTION AT CONSUL' S
RESIDENCE. OVERNITE: KADUNA
WEDNES. JUNE 13 - A. M. DEPART KADUNA FOR LAGOS (2 HRS, 50 MIN)
LUNCH: AIRPORT HOTEL
P. M. PRE- DEPARTURE PRESS CONFERENCE
1500 DEPART FOR YAOUNDE

2. FOR DEPT; MISSION AND MEA BELIEVE UP- COUNTRY TRAVEL BY GROUP
HIGHLY DESIREABLE. IN VIEW OF AIRPORT FACILITIES AND COMMERCIAL
SCHEDULES, STRONGLY RECOMMEND CHARTERED DC-3 SERVICE. RO T
\$2,150 WHICH USIS MAY BE ABLE DEFRAY , IF NECESSARY.

3. APPRECIATE OVERALL REACTION PROPOSED SCHEDULE WHICH
TENTATIVE AND WILL, IN ANY CASE, BE SUBJECT TO MEA CLEARANCE.

4. NEED ACTUAL COMPOSITION OF ENTIRE PARTY PLUS DESCRIPTION
OF BACKUP INFO MATERIALS IF ANY. ALSO AIRCRAFT SPECIFICATIONS
FOR CLEARANCE.

5. ALTHOUGH VISIT COINCIDES WITH YEAR END EXAMS MOST SCHOOLS,
ANTICIPATE ASTRONAUTS WILL HAVE OPPORTUNITIES FOR USEFUL
EXCHANGES WITH SCIENCE STUDENTS, FACULTY AND SPACE ENTHUSIASTS
AT EACH LOCALE.

6. DEPARTURE JUNE 13 CAN BE MOVED TO LATE A. M. IF DESIRED.

7. ADVISE.
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